

anterior member and a posterior member, and an internal femoral attachment surface; the femoral articular bearing surface and the internal femoral attachment surface having a substantially uniform cross-sectional curvature at any point along the length of the anterior member, thereby providing an increased radius of the internal femoral attachment surface and an increased cross sectional line of fixation to bony tissue; and the internal femoral attachment surface further defining a line of attachment extending across the substantially outer circumferential edge thereof.

16. The tibial component as claimed in claim **11**, wherein the locating member is posteriorly disposed on the spacer bearing and is for snap-fitting over a rim recess located on the tibial plate.

17. The tibial component as claimed in claim **1**, comprising a femoral component, a spacer bearing and the tibial component, wherein the tibial component comprises a planar tibial plate having an upper bearing surface and a lower attachment surface, the tibial plate being adapted to interchangeably in situ receive spacer bearings for either mobile- or fixed-bearing prosthetic assemblies; and the tibial plate further having at least one anteriorly located spacer bearing attachment means for removably securing the spacer bearing to the tibial plate.

18. The tibial component as claimed in claim **1**, for use in a human subject, and in particular in a human knee.

19. A revision method of re-surfacing chondral deficient surface areas in the knee joint, wherein the method is minimally invasive, including the step of utilizing and inserting an orthopedic prosthesis including a femoral component substantially as claimed in claim **1**, as well as a tibial component substantially as herein described.

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